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June 23, 2000

Steven LaMar Sorenson
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Re: Acceptance of Notice of Intention to Commence Small Mining Operations, Glen Goff Private Property Project, S/039/014, Sanpete County, Utah

Dear Mr. Sorenson:

Thank you for your Notice of Intention to Commence Small Mining Operations and initial permit application fee, received by the Division on June 19, 2000. The application for the proposed Glen Goff Private Property Project, states the project is located in the S1/4 of E1/4 of NW1/4 of Section 27, T20S, R1E, Sanpete County, Utah. *(Please note that from your map, we changed the location to read the NW1/4 of the SE1/4 of the NW1/4 rather than what your notice stated. Please advise us if this is incorrect).* Your notice is considered complete and no additional information is required at this time.

The Utah Mined Land Reclamation Act of 1975 [40-8-7(I)] provides the authority for fee implementation which was approved by the Utah Legislature at its 1998 session. Commencing July 1, 1998, the fees are assessed to new and existing notices of intention, and annually thereafter. Small Mining Notices require a \$100.00 annual fee. As your application and fee payment was received within 45 days of the Division's next fiscal year (July 1 - June 30), we will credit the fee payment toward the new year. You should not receive a billing in July. If you do receive a billing in error, please contact Joelle Burns at (801) 538-5291 so it can be corrected.

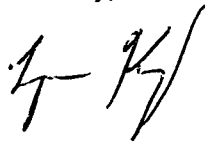
For your reference, I have enclosed copies of our summarized rules regarding "Operation and Reclamation Practices," and the statutory penalty for failure to reclaim a minesite (SMO-1). Please give special consideration to item #10 of the "Operation and Reclamation Practices. Stockpiling topsoil material prior to beginning your mining operation will help ensure successful revegetation efforts upon final reclamation of the minesite. If the area being mined is a solid rock outcrop, or if the land surface is very rocky, then soil stockpiling is probably not possible. However, even the first few inches of undeveloped material is worth saving to aid in later revegetation efforts, and future regulatory release from reclamation requirements.

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Should you wish to expand your operation beyond the five (5) acre limitation, please notify this office as soon as possible to discuss the necessary permitting requirements. Approval of a large mining notice could take from six to twelve months or longer.

Thank you for your cooperation. When in the area, a member of the Division staff will examine the site. Best wishes with your mining operation.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'L. Kunzler', written in a cursive style.

Lynn Kunzler
Senior Reclamation Specialist

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Enclosure
cc. Tracking File
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